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PROPOSAL REFUSED

Major General Otis Does Not Favor an Armistice For Insurgents.

COMMISSIONERS IN MANILA

Agents of Aguinaldo Put in an Appearance For the Purpose of Negotiating Terms of Peace—Interesting Letter Regarding the Postal System in Vogue in Island of Cebu.

Manila, May 20.—Two military and two civil Philippine commissioners, appointed to co-operate with three citizens of Manila in negotiating terms of peace, arrived here at 8:15 a. m. today. They have submitted no new propositions, but want an armistice pending the session of the Philippine congress.

Major General Otis has refused to entertain the proposal.

PILIPINO MAIL.

Interesting Letter on the Postal System in Island of Cebu.

Washington, May 20.—The operations of the former Spanish postal system on the island of Cebu, in the Philippines, are interestingly described in a letter dated April 8, just received by Postmaster General Emory Smith, from Director of Posts Vaila at Manila, who writes:

"When our forces took possession of the town of Cebu it was done contrary to the wishes of Filipino officials in charge, but without armed opposition.

"Filipino officials continue to administer all departments except that of the captain of the post and the Cebu post-office. This will probably be changed to a considerable extent at once, as officers detailed to administer affairs there went to Cebu on the same steamer with me, but had not taken hold when I left.

"The Filipinos had in effect a service modeled exactly after the plan of the Spanish service on the island. Each village or city had a chief called presidente local, instead of, as formerly under the Spaniards, the captain municipal, or gobernadorcillo.

"It was made a part of the official duties of the presidente local to handle all mail, registered or ordinary, to provide carriers for taking the mails to the next village on the route, to keep a record of such service and to keep on hand a supply of stamps, for which he paid cash, buying them of the secretary of the haciendas at a slight discount.

"On the island of Cebu there were eight routes, covering about all the villages on the island.

"Every citizen is required to perform 15 days' service each year for the government and the only pay the messengers get for carrying the mail is that such service is credited to his account against the 15 days due. As the trip to the next village is credited as a day's work, and is much easier than a full day's work on highways, bridges or public buildings, the mail service is much sought after, and there is a regulation that no citizen can perform more than six days' work as mail carrier in one year. One carrier takes the mail for 15 or 20 towns, showing the small amount of mail there. In one dispatch of 13 letters every one was official. Every boat leaving a port was required to carry the mail."

FIRE AT LOVELAND.

Hotel and Grocery Destroyed—Aid From Cincinnati.

Loveland, O., May 20.—At an early hour this morning what appeared for a time a disastrous fire broke out in the Hill House and totally destroyed the hotel and also a grocery owned by J. D. Sperry. A strong wind was blowing, and the fire seemed to be beyond control, but a special train brought part of the Cincinnati fire department here and the blaze was subdued. Loss, \$15,000.

A GOLDEN DISCOVERY.

The famous Klondike region is not all gold. Hundreds of prospectors drop and die of



hunger and fatigue. Often the most precious things of life are found only after infinite exertion and discouraging search. Many a man and woman looking vainly for health almost drops by the wayside before the golden means of relief is at last discovered.

"About twelve years ago," says O. S. Copenhaver, Esq., of Mount Union, Huntington Co., Pa., "I was suddenly taken with a pain in the pit of my stomach which was so violent I could not walk straight. It would grow more severe until it caused waterbrash and vomiting of a silvery yellow matter. I consulted a physician and he told me I had a form of dyspepsia, and treated me for about six months with but little benefit. I still kept getting so weak I could scarcely walk.

"I then tried another physician and he told me my liver was out of order and that I had indigestion. He gave me a treatment and I got some better but only for a short time. I then tried another one who said I had chronic indigestion, ulceration of the lining of the stomach, torpid liver and kidney affection. He treated me for more than a year and I felt much better but it did not last.

"I then took to using several widely advertised patent medicines, but received no more than temporary relief while using. I then tried Dr. Pierce's medicine, using his 'Golden Medical Discovery' and the 'Pleasant Pellets,' and in two months I was feeling better than I had for years before. I can truly say Dr. Pierce's medicine did me more good than any I had ever taken."

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BRADSTREET'S

Condition of the Trade Situation For the Week Just Ended.

New York, May 20.—Bradstreet's today says: The feature of the trade situation this week is the renewed strength of wheat and other cereals, iron and steel, and last, but not least, raw wool, which has heretofore lagged behind other staples in a most discouraging way.

The price making features in cereals are not entirely of encouraging character, being chiefly the less favorable reports as to the growing crop west and northwest, and advices of insect damage influencing western markets toward a higher plane in face of a discouragingly small export business, caused in some degree by the continuance of the strike of grain handlers at Buffalo, checking the movement of large quantities of grain to the seaboard.

The added strength in iron is based largely upon heavy buying of pig iron in the central west, sympathetically influencing prices at all markets.

Foreign wool markets continue above American, heavy sales of Australian wools for re-export are reported, and available supplies of this class of wool are nearly exhausted at Boston. Aside from the exceptions noted, the tendency is toward steadiness in prices and most provisions, coffee and sugar among groceries, lead and copper among metals and cotton and its various manufacturers among textiles are all reported unchanged on the week.

Speculation in cotton lags, notwithstanding good trade advices at home and abroad, and rather less favorable crop reports. Lumber, as for a long time past, continues in excellent demand.

Building activity is widespread, prices hold all their old advances and the tendency is apparently still upward. Refined sugar is in rather better demand, but raws are rather quiet at last week's decline. Hides and leather are strong at old quotations, a new feature reported this week being a good demand for some grades of upper leather on export account. Less favorable weather has tended to check distributive demand at retail, but in wholesale lines trade is regarded as very fair and even satisfactory for the advanced stage of the season.

PEACE CONFERENCE

Agreement to Appoint Committees to Deal With Questions.

The Hague, May 20.—The chiefs of the different delegations to the peace conference met yesterday under the presidency of M. de Staal, the Russian ambassador to Great Britain, for the purpose of discussing the business to be transacted today.

The meeting, at which Andrew D. White, head of the United States delegation, and Sir Julian Pauncefote, head



BARON DE STAAL.

of the British delegation, were present, resulted in an agreement to appoint three committees to deal with the respective groups of questions proposed for discussion, namely, disarmament, laws of warfare and mediation and arbitration. With a view of facilitating the appointment of the committees, it was agreed that each chief delegate should nominate those of his own delegation whom it might be desired to appoint to the respective committees, so that each nation should be represented upon all.

At today's session M. de Staal will read the replies of Emperor Nicholas and Queen Wilhelmina to the dispatches sent to their majesties at the opening of the conference, after which he will deliver an important speech upon the work of the conference and will propose the adoption of a general scheme arranged yesterday. Today's sessions and all subsequent sessions will be secret. Perfect harmony has prevailed thus far.

Shows No Trace of Sorrow.

Cincinnati, May 20.—The boy murderer, James Weaver, 11 years old, who poisoned his mother, father and brother, and who seems, from his own confession, to be of the Jesse Pomeroy class, was in police court yesterday, showing no trace of sorrow for his crime, nor even of concern as to his punishment.

BRIEF MENTION

Company A, Sixth Infantry, arrived in San Francisco from Texas.

Ex-United States Senator Charles R. Buckalew died at his home in Bloomington, Pa., aged 78.

Private McMurray, colored, stationed in San Francisco, developed symptoms of smallpox and is quarantined.

Robert Gillham, general manager of the Kansas City, Pittsburg and Gulf railroad, died at Kansas City after a brief attack of typhoid malaria.

Carnegie & Co., closed a deal for 50,000 tons of pig iron from the Associated blast furnaces of the Mahoning and Shenango valleys, paying \$16 per ton.

Lieutenant Colonel Edward J. McClelland (assistant adjutant general) has been ordered to Mantanzas, Cuba, as adjutant general of that department.

Seven cotton yarnmills in Bristol county, Mass., were purchased by English capitalists. Consideration, \$3,490,000. Present officers are to operate the mills.

Major John A. Logan of Youngstown, O., will leave shortly for Cuba to represent a party of capitalists in developing sugar and mineral resources of the island.

CHURCH WORKERS

Interesting Session of the Missionary Branch of Friends' Church.

Marion, Ind., May 20.—The triennial convention of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Friends' church is in session here, with Mrs. Hannah L. Smith of Selma, O., presiding. Delegates are present from a number of states. After the president's address a resolution was adopted approving the peace conference now in session at The Hague, and this resolution was carried to the commissioners representing America. All the foreign missionary workers were invited forward, and Mr. Penford and Minnie Boles of Japan, Mr. and Mrs. George Weeks of Mexico, Martha Barber of India and Anna Stanley of China, were introduced. Much routine business was transacted, and later Gilbert A. Bowles of Penn college, Oskaloosa, Ia., delivered an address. The report of the general secretary was submitted and accepted. A discussion on the relation of the woman's foreign mission work to the church followed, and then the matter of men and women working together in the mission field was considered. A short talk by Rev. Gurney Benford of Denver, a missionary to Japan, was an enjoyable feature of the session.

DEMOCRATIC EDITORS.

Meeting Ends With a Steamboat Ride to Louisville.

Madison, Ind., May 20.—The meeting of the Indiana Democratic Editorial association closed with a trip to Louisville on the steamer Cincinnati. The boat was crowded with editors and friends, and a banquet was held and a number of speeches made during the trip. An enjoyable time was had by the excursionists.

Muncie Church Given Aid.

Philadelphia, May 20.—Sixty applications for assistance from churches too weak to support themselves were granted at yesterday's session of the general committee of Home Missions of the United Presbyterian church. An appropriation of \$740 was made to the church at Muncie, Ind., and Rev. S. G. Smith was appointed missionary for the church.

Erecting a Masonic Temple.

North Vernon, Ind., May 20.—The Masons of this city have begun the erection of a new Masonic Temple. The building will be three stories high and cost about \$10,000. Hon. Mason J. Niblack has been invited to deliver the address and preside during the ceremony of laying the cornerstone.

Negro Miners Must Go.

Pana, Ill., May 20.—As a result of the meeting of coal miners, the state board of arbitration and the United Mine Workers' officials an agreement was reached yesterday afternoon which will settle the long drawn out struggle between the union miners and operators. The agreement gives the union recognition and provides that all negro miners shall leave the city and only union men be employed.

Gunboat Nashville.

Calro, Ill., May 20.—The United States gunboat Nashville arrived here yesterday from St. Louis, and was greeted by a large crowd of citizens. The Nashville was visited by many during the afternoon, who were shown every attention by Captain Maynard and the crew. The boat left today for points on the lower Mississippi, stopping at Columbus, Hickman, New Madrid and other points.

Only Two Survivors.

Victoria, B. C., May 20.—Late arrivals from Suva say two Polynesians have reached Taviuna, one of the islands of the Fiji group, who claim to be the only survivors of 36 natives who were stolen from the Andaman islands by a slaving schooner. They say many died of hunger and there were finally but eight left. One night they fought and two were killed. Four others died of measles.

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ARMS OF THE CUBANS

Havana In a Ferment Over the Proposed Disposition of the War Munitions.

DAILY PAPER COMMENTS

Much Discontent as to Where the Arms Are to Be Kept Upon Their Surrender—Agreement of General Gomez and Robert Porter Quoted. La Discussion Criticizes Alger.

Havana, May 20.—Havana is in a ferment again over the idea that the Washington administration has determined to take the arms of the Cuban troops and to retain them in military possession. This view of the latest news from Washington has been telegraphed to the various cities.

Governor General Brooke is thus far unaware, save through the press telegrams, of any dissatisfaction on the part of General Alger, secretary of war, with his (General Brooke's) plan to have the arms deposited in the care of the mayors of the municipalities, nor has he received any other inkling of the secretary's purpose to lay the matter before President McKinley. Consequently, unless instructions to the contrary are received from the Washington administration, the governor general's order respecting the distribution of the \$3,000,000, as modified, will be issued today. The secretary of war has been informed as to the substance of this order in the usual course of business.

Havana midday papers publish the Washington news, some of them commenting editorially upon it. As to the point as where the arms are to be kept appears to be thought of vital importance in Washington, the conviction announced there that the mayors cannot be trusted with them is a cause of fresh discontent just at the moment when the various complication appeared to be unraveled. The mayors are the appointees of the governor general, and when the military assembly dissolved they were made its representatives to receive the arms. Article 4 of the agreement between General Gomez and Robert Porter, President McKinley's special representatives, runs as follows:

"The Cubans shall surrender their arms to the Cuban assembly or to its representatives."

General Gomez, who at the time of coming to the agreement with Mr. Porter, had not quarreled with the assembly, insisted upon this point. Since the quarrel, he has again raised the point repeatedly, saying also that Mr. Porter brought full written authority from President McKinley, and, in the president's name, agreed that the arms should go into the custody of the assembly or its representatives.

At Monday night's meeting of the Society of Veterans of Independence—organized by former members of the assembly—the speakers dilated upon article four, asserting bad faith, the president's plenipotentiary having agreed to deposit the arms with the representatives of the assembly, while, through the connivance of Gomez, they were to be surrendered to the American army.

La Discussion says: "Secretary Alger appears to wish to provoke a conflict here. He is more distinguished in the United States as a business man than as a politician, and his relations with the certain syndicates are well known. He opposes everything that Cuba wants and favors everything that would cause feeling and provoke excitement. His attitude prompts the question, 'What does he want?' Does he desire a war here similar to that in the Philippines? We are forced to believe that he only approves what is unsatisfactory to Cuba."

Cubans of prominence object to talking for publication on the subject, but wherever they have been interviewed they say, without exception, that such an order as is referred to in the press dispatches from Washington would cause much trouble, and would still further separate Cuba from the United States.

Treasury Statement.
Washington, May 20.—The statement of the condition of the treasury shows: Available cash balance, \$264,004,588; gold reserve, \$236,084,557.

BASEBALL NEWS

Standing of the Clubs.

CLUBS	W	L	Pct.	CLUBS	W	L	Pct.
Ind.apolis	11	8	.576	Buffalo	9	8	.529
St. Paul	11	8	.576	Detroit	9	11	.450
Milwaukee	12	9	.571	Columbus	6	11	.353
Minneapolis	11	9	.556	Kansas City	7	14	.333

CLUBS	W	L	Pct.	CLUBS	W	L	Pct.
St. Louis	20	7	.741	Baltimore	14	13	.519
Brooklyn	20	8	.714	Louisville	10	17	.370
Chicago	19	9	.682	Pittsburg	10	17	.370
Philadelphia	17	10	.630	New York	9	19	.320
Cincinnati	13	9	.591	Washington	6	22	.214
Boston	17	11	.607	Cleveland	5	9	.357

CLUBS	PITCHERS	R	H	E
Minneapolis	Hutchinson	1	3	1
Columbus	Wadell	1	3	1
Milwaukee	Rettger	7	9	3
Detroit	Thomas	4	10	2
St. Paul	McGill	9	9	4
Buffalo	Dahl	3	6	6
Kansas City	Indiana	1	1	1

CLUBS	PITCHERS	R	H	E
Louisville	Dowling	4	5	2
Boston	Wadell	13	18	1
Cincinnati	Phillips	5	13	8
Brooklyn	Kennedy	7	13	2
Washington	Baker	4	12	5
Pittsburg	Tannhill	11	13	3
Washington	Weyling	10	12	2
Pittsburg	Hoffer	2	8	4
Chicago	Callahan	2	5	3
Baltimore	Kilton	4	10	1
St. Louis	Pates	9	10	8
New York	Moore	0	9	5

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CIVIC FEDERATION

Retired Admiral Receives a Letter From Secretary Long.

Washington, May 20.—When Rear Admiral Stewart, U. S. N., retired from the service he received this letter from Secretary Long:

"In view of your transfer, by operation of law, to the retired list, I cannot let the opportunity go to express not only my personal regret at the termination of your official relation to the department, but my very high sense, which, I am sure, is shared by the navy and the country of the admirable and most efficient manner in which you have discharged the duties of paymaster general and chief of the naval bureau of supplies and accounts. You have held this office from May 18, 1890 to May 5, 1899. And, during my term as secretary, I have personally observed your work, especially during the exacting time of the recent war. Your administration of your bureau has been marked by the highest efficiency and I am not aware that even in the press and exigency of the most exacting periods has there been any error or failure. The disinterested and successful manner in which the affairs of the bureau have been administered, the promptness and abundance with which our ships and yards have been supplied and the general thoroughness of your work in every respect, are now matters of common knowledge. You have set a high standard for your successors and contributed very largely to whatever good reputation the navy department now has."

FOR THEIR EDUCATION

Cubans and Porto Ricans Being Brought to America.

New York, May 20.—More than 50 young Cubans and Porto Ricans have been brought to this country by the Cuban Educational association within the last two months, and allotted to educational institutions that have agreed to give them a thorough education. The association was organized at the suggestion of Major General Joseph Wheeler, who is president. According to Gilbert K. Harome, the secretary, its works have been marvelously successful. More than 300 educational institutions offered their hearty support to the organization, with free tuition and free scholarship. In addition to those who are already studying at the various colleges to which they were allotted, the association expects to have at least 1,000 young Cubans and Porto Ricans placed among the colleges and schools by Nov. 1.

Only young men of good moral character and some attainments, who are vouched for by reputable men in Cuba and Porto Rico, are taken. A large number of the applicants exhibit intelligence to a marked degree, but are deficient in the English language, besides having little money. To meet this emergency the association has suggested that in each city or town which has an institution willing to receive an applicant a committee be formed to stand sponsor for the young man and defray all incidental expenses incurred during his course of study. Other contributions will be received by the officers of the association. Only those provided for to the extent of \$150 by their parents or some philanthropic person are given scholarships.

THRILLING SCENE.

Young Man's Nerve Act at a Fire in Richmond.

Richmond, Ind., May 20.—One of the most thrilling acts of bravery that has been witnessed in this city in many years occurred during the progress of a fire here. A number of barns were burning, and a high wind carried sparks a great distance. The roof of St. Andrew's Catholic church took fire in two places, and it burned briskly, threatening serious results. A detachment of firemen left the burning barns and endeavored to get a stream of water on the roof, but the power was not sufficient. Albert Kennepohl, who had volunteered his services at the moment, climbed a ladder to the cornice work of the church, and, grasping a lightning-rod, pulled himself hand over hand to the top. The roof is frightfully steep, and during Kennepohl's daring trip the lightningrod broke in two, but he grasped the upper end and continued on his way until he reached the top. A rope was thrown him and the end of a line of hose was hoisted by him to the necessary point. The blaze was then extinguished.

WHEAT CROP.

Farmers in Fulton County Are Discouraged—Other Crops.

Rochester, Ind., May 20.—Latest advices indicate that the wheat crop will be a total failure in Fulton county. Not one farmer in 10 will reap as much as he sowed. If the weather permits the entire acreage in wheat will be replanted in corn. The small part of the crop which escaped the ravages of winter already looks like ripe wheat, on account of the fly. The contracts for binders made early in the season have been canceled. There has been but little corn planting on account of the excessive rains, and not half of the plowing is yet completed. Oats and hay promise an abundant crop. Spring-sown grass has an excellent stand.

Head Nurse of Colored Hospital.

Lebanon, Ind., May 20.—Miss Ella Valentine, colored, has been chosen superintendent and head nurse of the only hospital in the west for colored people, the Provident of St. Louis. This institution is maintained by the colored people. Miss Valentine is a graduate of the Lebanon high school, and she is the only colored student who ever left the school with a diploma. She is also a graduate of the Freedmen's Hospital Training school, Washington.

Aid For a Railroad.

Ligonier, Ind., May 20.—The citizens of this place have pledged \$10,000 to aid in the building of a railroad from Benton Harbor to Fort Wayne, the road to be completed within two years. Eastern capitalists are interested and liberal subsidies are promised. The line will give the southern Michigan direct connection with the roads tapping Pennsylvania and Virginia coalfields.

REST ENDED

President McKinley and Party Return to Washington.

Washington, May 20.—President and Mrs. McKinley and party are expected here this evening. The visit to Hot Springs, Va., has lasted 11 days, during which time the president has been greatly benefited in health. His return at this time is in order to fulfill engagements next week in connection with the peace jubilee.

TRIBUTE TO STEWART

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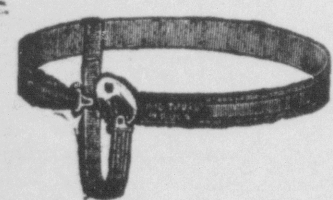
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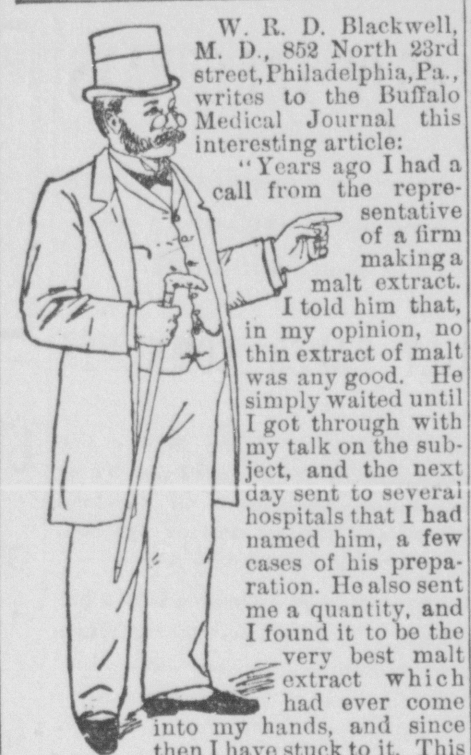
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W. R. D. Blackwell, M. D. 852 North 23rd street, Philadelphia, Pa., writes to the Buffalo Medical Journal this interesting article: "Years ago I had a call from the representative of a firm making a malt extract. I told him that, in my opinion, no thin extract of malt was any good. He simply waited until I got through with my talk on the subject, and the next day sent to several hospitals that I had named him, a few cases of his preparation. He also sent me a quantity, and I found it to be the very best malt extract which I had ever come into my hands, and since then I have stuck to it. This 'best malt' is known to the trade as 'The Best' Tonic—Pabst Malt Extract. It is a long time since I first came into the knowledge of this excellent brand of malt, and it will be an equally long time (if I live) before I will give it up for any other. I believe in 'The Best' Tonic as being the best; no punning being intended. It is not acid or sour, as too many of the brands are. It 'sets' well on the stomach in weak ladies who reject the ordinary malts. It keeps well also, which is an item of moment. It is economical in cost, and is pleasant in taste. Such characteristics ought to make doctors try it, if you don't already know its merits, and such of my readers as have not yet invested in it would do well to find out for themselves what it really is, and I am sure that they will not be disappointed when they do."

What this Philadelphia doctor has said is an old story with those who are

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How many "pretty-featured" girls and women lose all their charm and attractiveness by being pallid, sallow and gray as if all the blood in their veins were turned to skimmed milk! Even when riding a bicycle, playing tennis or golf, or taking other pleasant exercise, their eyes are still dull and lifeless, no flush beautifies their cheeks, and the air of languor and lassitude makes them "sickly old" over with the pale cast of thought, or else, like Cassius, have a "lean and hungry look." These disagreeable features are the outcome of anemia, a wasting out of the corpuscles of the blood, thinning down of the vital fluids, until a person is weak, emaciated and unhealthy looking. The antidote to this unpleasant condition, however is at hand. Pabst Malt Extract, The "Best" Tonic, is an immediate and visible help in making a soft, glowing color, a splendid appetite, a power to digest and assimilate the food, and turn it into fine, pure, healthful blood. Don't look so faded out and limp when you can easily look sweetly strong. A few bottles will show you what it can do.

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SATURDAY, MAY 20, 1899.

HON. CHAS. B. LANDIS says that he will not be a candidate for governor but for re-election to congress.

There are yet some bitter partisans who would rejoice in a battle that would bring defeat to our soldiers in the Philippines. Victory is discouraging to them.

SOMETIME ago the REPUBLICAN mentioned Hon. Jesse Overstreet as a good man to succeed Hon. Thos. B. Reed as Speaker of the lower house of Congress. Some other papers are suggesting the same thing now and in fact Mr. Overstreet's friends outside of Indiana are suggesting that he enter the contest.

AMONG the newspaper men who attended the democratic editorial meeting at Madison was John Overmeyer, who has been wanting to go to congress for a long time, formerly as a republican now as a democrat. He is launching his boom a little early but then he knows he must move early to head off Marion Griffith.

BORN

To C. F. Caldwell and 1 wife, Saturday, May 20, a son.

A daughter was born to C. E. Newton and wife, Friday, May 19.

A son was born to D. M. Faber and wife, Friday, May 19.

P. E. Wills, of Elizabethtown, who has been here on business with Hon. Louis Schneck returned home today.

The Cure that Cures
Coughs, Colds, Grippe.

Whooping Cough, Asthma, Bronchitis and Incipient Consumption, is

OTTO'S CURE

The GERMAN REMEDY Cures throat and lung diseases. Sold by all druggists. 25c & 50c

PERSONAL.

Mrs. J. A. Rodarmel has returned to Washington.

Samuel Downs is suffering with a carbuncle on his hand.

Nort Whitesides, of Franklin, was here last evening.

Ben Betterly had a finger broken by an accident Friday.

Mrs. Anna Carter went to Columbus today to visit friends.

Mrs. Thomas Kelso went to Cincinnati today to visit relatives.

S. E. DeArmond is able to be out after a severe attack of abscess.

C. M. Huff and wife came up today from Henryville to visit friends.

Miss Rachel Matlock and Miss Lucy Tabor returned today to Ewing.

Dale, son of Nathan Rucker, of the Ridge, is very sick of pneumonia.

Mrs. Samuel Huffman went to Dillsboro last evening to visit her mother.

J. H. Fidler and wife, of Washington county came up today on business.

Mrs. R. M. Freeman, of Scott county, came here today to visit Mrs. Winscott.

Ransom Short having failed to enlist in the regular army has returned home.

John W. England and wife are visiting their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Mary England.

A son of Marion Thompson, of Driftwood township is lying at the point of death.

Mrs. E. D. Taulman and daughter, Miss Daisy, of Brown county, came here today to shop.

A. B. Gossett, of Flatrock, Ky., will be here Sunday to visit his sister, Mrs. G. W. Raines.

Mrs. Henry Raisner, returned from a visit to her sister, Mrs. Henry Myers, at Louisville.

Mrs. Charles Appel went to Madison today to visit her grandmother, Mrs. Elizabeth Appel.

W. E. Detmer and wife, of Jeffersonville came up last evening to visit relatives near Sauer.

Mrs. Albert Teckemeyer and son went to Dillsboro last evening to visit her husband's parents.

Charles Kessler and wife went to Indianapolis today to visit her parents Mr. and Mrs. R. M. J. Cox.

Miss Rose Smith, who has attended school here, went to her home at Dillsboro last evening for vacation.

Mrs. Stinnett and daughter Miss Mame, of Bedford, came here last evening to visit friends over Sunday.

William Nantrop, of Driftwood township, is in a critical condition resulting from an injury on his head six years ago.

Miss Bertha Heller, who came up to commencement and to visit her aunt, Mrs. H. P. Miller returned today to Brownstown.

The Working Workers of the Central Christian church held a pleasant lunch social at the home of S. D. Meek last night for the benefit of the new church.

SATURDAY SNAP SHOTS.

A mild answer turneth away wrath but it only encourages the book agent to greater persistency.

What a great world this would be if the people in it were more like bumble bees. The bee goes buzzing about among the flowers, delving down only into these nectaries which are filled with sweetness; the nectaries which are empty and devoid of everything that could contribute to the peace and happiness of the humble bumble bee, are scarcely given a passing notice.

But poor man. Prone to plunge into thickets of bristling cactus as readily as into fields of violets, his haphazard race through the world ends in more grief than joy, and he declares that life is all a failure. To learn to discriminate between wisdom and folly, good and evil, the blessings of the Creator, and the vile workings of man, one has but to go into the field, the wood and the lane and read the open book of nature. Yes; even the humble-bee studied at a safe distance, can teach us a lesson of life.

That even a "tramp" is sometimes forced to put the inventive genius to work in order to gain a point, was recently illustrated in rather a striking manner. While a resident on east Second street was going through his morning paper, a tramp of the genus "hob,"—a veritable Weary Willie—rapped at the door and asked to see the head of the family. The L. of the t. being kindly heard, asked him what he wanted. "Here is a very valuable relic" the tramp replied, drawing from beneath the folds of his dirty coat a rusty hatchet much hacked and worn. "This" continued the tramp, "is one of the hatchets George Washington used in cutting down the famous cherry tree; see, here's his initials." Sure enough; on the handle was the plainly carved letters, G. W., which was sufficient evidence to convince any curious collector of its genuineness. As the tramp asked but ten cents for his prize, the east Second street man purchased it at once; and he is now the proud possessor of a real relic.

Mr. Travis Carter tells a story, which so far as he knows, was the beginning of "lynch law" in Indiana. About sixty-seven years ago there lived in Scott county a family of "Lynches," whom Mrs. Travis Carter knew in Kentucky. In the family there were twenty-four children, twenty-three buxom country girls and one lone boy. One day a rather "fresh" young man by the name of Applegate was passing through and stopped at the Lynch home. While there he became enamored by one of the twenty-three girls, and decided to make an engagement to return Saturday evening. Now the girls didn't like his style and decided to make an appointment of "Lynch's law" on his return. Saturday night came and so did Applegate. He was ushered into the spacious sitting room and given an old-fashioned chair. Then his favorite among the twenty-three sisters pleasantly told him that she would "teach him how to spark." But soon he was pinioned to the back of his chair and the "old lady" called to bring in the tar and feathers, which were used on Applegate unsparingly, thus giving him a dose of "Lynch law" a sort of "common law" to the Lynch family.

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We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that can not be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75c per bottle. Sold by all druggists. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Elder H. C. Jackson, of Charlestown, will preach Sunday at Reddington.

Grip makes one sick, weary and restless. Dr. Miles' Restorative Nerve brings rest.

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On account of our Straw Matting coming in late in the season we have concluded to sell them at

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2-ply all wool Carpets..... 42c
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OUR CHURCHES.

FIRST M. E. CHURCH.

Sunday class meeting, 9:30 a. m. Sunday preaching 10:30 a. m. Sunday school 2 p. m.; preaching 7:15 p. m. Tuesday holiness meeting, 7:00 p. m. Monday Junior Epworth League, 6:45 p. m. Wednesday prayer meeting 7:30 p. m. Thursday Epworth League 7:30 p. m. Rev. J. M. Baxter pastor. Corner Third and Ewing street.

The tenth anniversary of the Epworth League will be observed tomorrow night. Exercises will be held in the auditorium commencing at 7:30. Every member of the League urgently invited to come and the church also invited to attend. Let us come together and hear what this youngest child of the church has and is doing.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Southwest corner of Walnut and Tipton streets. Preaching every Sabbath. Sabbath school, 2:00 p. m. Morning service at 10:30 a. m. Evening service, 7:30 p. m. B. Y. P. U. meeting Sunday evening at 6:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. All are made cordially welcome. J. W. Clevenger pastor.

Morning subject: "Chadiah's Message." Evening subject: "The Bible in Spiritual Life."

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Corner Walnut and Branch streets. Rev. J. T. Charlton, pastor. Service every Sabbath at 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sabbath school at 9:15 a. m. all the year. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:15 p. m. every Sabbath. Junior Endeavor Society at 2:00 p. m. Sabbath afternoon. Weekly prayer meeting at 7:30 p. m. every Wednesday. Everyone made welcome.

Rev. F. M. Tyrrell of Crothersville, will preach morning and evening.

CENTRAL CHURCH OF CHRIST.

Services at Husted's Hall at 10:30 a. m. and 7:00 p. m. Sunday school a. m. Endeavor meeting at 6:00 p. m. Elder Vesch, pastor. All are cordially invited to attend these services. H. L. Vesch, pastor.

GERMAN M. E. CHURCH.

Corner of Poplar and Bruce Sts., Rev. John Huber, pastor. Preaching every Sabbath. Morning service, 10:30 a. m. Evening service, 7:30 p. m. Sunday school, 9 a. m. Sunday evening at 7:00 Young people's meeting. Wednesday at 7:30 p. m., prayer meeting.

SEVENTH DAY ADVENTISTS.

Sabbath school at 2:30 p. m. at corner of Ewing and Fifth streets. All are invited.

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N. E. Corner of Walnut and Tipton. Morning service 10:00 a. m. Sunday school 2 p. m. F. Daries, pastor.

German Lutheran Emanuel's Church.

Corner of Poplar and Hickman Sts. Rev. Philip Schmidt, pastor. Preaching every Sabbath. Morning service, 9:30 a. m. Evening service, 7:00 p. m. Children's Catechism after morning service.

ST. AMBROSE CATHOLIC CHURCH.

South Chestnut St., near Brown St. Father Conrad, pastor. Services every Sabbath. Low mass 8 a. m. High mass 10 a. m. Catechism 2:30 p. m. Vespers and benediction 3 p. m.

SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH.

Corner Lynn and Brown streets. Preaching twice a month, first and third Lord's day. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Officers meeting Thursday preceding first Lord's day. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening in each week. Rev. A. J. Thompson, pastor, 338 N. Missouri st. Indianapolis, Ind.

A. M. E. CHURCH.

Preaching at 10:30 a. m. Class at 11:30 a. m. Sunday school at 2:30 p. m. Preaching at 7:00 p. m. C. E. Allen pastor.

Loyal Temperance Legion.

Loyal temperance Legion will meet at 4:00 Sabbath May 21, in the Presbyterian church. Members requested to be present. Visitors invited.

Another Case of Rheumatism Cured by Chamberlain's Pain Balm.

My son was afflicted with rheumatism which contracted his right limb until he was unable to walk. After using one and a half bottles of Chamberlain's Pain Balm he was able to be about again. I can heartily recommend it to persons suffering from rheumatism—John Snider, Freed, Calhoun Co., W. Va. For sale by C. W. Milhous.

No Gripping or Pains.

Arrowsmith, Ill., Jan. 21, 1897. Dear Sirs:—I have been bothered for 15 years with constipation and I have tried many preparations during that time. I commenced using Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin in the fall of 1895 and unhesitatingly say it is the best remedy I have ever found for my trouble. No gripping or pains after taking. Yours, etc., Wm. Hunt. A. J. Pellens, Druggist.

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You may need glasses so badly, you can not see what your needs are in this line. This is our business. We believe we can help you. J. G. Laupus, Jeweler and Optician, Op. P.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

Chicago, Ill., May 20.—Indiana: Showers tonight and Sunday.

Cox

A Few Copies Left.

We have sold an unusually large number of yesterday's **REPUBLICAN** containing an account of commencement. A few more copies can be supplied to those who may want them by calling at the office.

Best meals and lunches at Nottage's.

New tomatoes, cucumbers, beets, beans, peas. F. Teckemeyer.

Frank Weikel who had his lower jaw broken is getting along nicely.

A nice lunch will be served at the Horse Shoe Saloon at 8.30 this evening.

Ice cream delivered to any part of the city. NOTTAGE, Phone 103.

Geo. G. Patten, dentist, of Pana, Ill., is looking for an office room with a view to locating here.

Those who are buying at Harding's auction are getting good bargains. Go around this evening at 7.30.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. F. Remy will arrive this evening and will be the guests of E. A. Remy and family over Sunday.

T. A. Reed, breeder of B. P. Rock only. Eggs \$1.00 per 15 at the house or \$1.25 by express. Cash in advance. East Fourth street, Seymour, Ind. waw3m

More people are being interested in Harding's auction sale every day, an are saving money by attending and bidding.

No one can afford to miss Harding's auction sale of jewelry, knives, forks, spoons, clocks, etc. He has what you need and you can buy it at a bargain.

An article by Miss Tarbell in the June number of McClure's Magazine will give new reminiscences and stories of Lincoln's devotion to the private soldiers during the war.

Salesman wanted to carry reasonable line of (free) samples, with exclusive territory, good for \$25 weekly cash, from old established high rated factory. P. O. 1371, New York.

The case of Lutes vs. Cross, which has occupied the attention of the circuit court since Thursday was not completed at 2 o'clock this afternoon, but both sides hoped to conclude today.

Omer, son of street commissioner Samuel Welch, who came home recently from the volunteer service went to Indianapolis today to enlist in the regular service.

Master Julius Peter has a new bicycle, a present from his father, W. F. Peter. The wheel came as a surprise to Julius after his school work for the year had ended and it was known that he ranked first in his class.

Samuel Little who returned to his home in Jennings county Friday from Sedalia, Mo., carried with him a small piece of wood which was found imbedded in hard rock 160 feet under ground. The wood appeared to be cedar and was well preserved.

The Sun

May shine brightly and the birds may sing their sweetest songs but if your stomach is not right there is no happiness for you. Keep a bottle of Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin in the house and use it according to directions and the sun and birds will not shine and sing in vain. Constipation and indigestion cured. Trial size 10c (10 doses) and in 50c and \$1.00 bottles. Of A. J. Pellens, druggist.

BUSINESS NOTES.

M. C. Beyers is putting out 15 acres of nutmeg plants.

A. D. Eldridge shipped a car of eggs to New York last night. James DeGolyer is home from a business trip to Westport.

C. A. Saltmarsh made a business trip today to Brownstown.

J. C. Lubker, of Vallonia, came up last evening on business.

James Cornett and wife, of Houston, came here last evening.

George Lewis, of Marling, came here last evening on business.

John Trentman and wife came here today from Heltonville to shop.

E. E. Eckstein and wife, of Canaan, drove here today to purchase goods.

W. F. Peter came home last evening from a business trip to Waymansville.

John F. Stuckwisch, of Sauers, is delivering wheat to the Blush Milling Co.

D. F. Smith and wife, of Jennings county, drove here today to purchase goods.

Morton Hall, a prosperous farmer of Azalia, drove here last evening on business.

Clayton Downs, of Jennings county, brought a fine lot of strawberries here today.

N. B. Frazer, of Pittsburg, Pa., came here today on business with Dr. W. E. Gerriah.

Henry Zollman and family of Medora, drove up to the city Friday on business.

Meyer Bros. shipped a car of clear hickory lumber from Rockford to Shelbyville today.

James Rinehard received a car of spoke blocks at Crothersville Friday for the Hub & Spoke Factory.

George A. Cooley, of Tampico, brought a ton of eggs, butter and poultry here Friday and sold them readily.

Henry Waldkotter and son Henry, west of Tampico came to the city Friday to purchase farm implements.

The window frames were set today in the third story of the Groub block and the brick work is going up rapidly.

F. H. McBride who has been in the employ of J. F. Shiel left today for Canton, O., to take a position in a harness factory.

Charles F. Eddinger, of the county asylum, went to Cincinnati yesterday evening to attend the national conference of charities and corrections.

When Nature.

Needs assistance it may be best to render it promptly, but one should remember to use even the most perfect remedies only when needed. The best and most simple and gentle remedy is the Syrup of Figs, manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co.

Mrs. Mat Pfeifer, who has been visiting friends at Seymour for several days returned home on the late train last night.—Columbus Times.

Dance of the Sun Rays.

My Dear Mr. Morrison: Your waltz is far above the average in musical merit. It is very good indeed. Good melody and very graceful in its movement. Sincerely Yours,

H. A. CLARK, Mus. Doc.

President of the University and Prof. of Theory and Harmony, Broad St. Conservatory of Music, Philadelphia, Pa.

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We will sell gas stoves until further notice at cost and our price for gas for stove use will be \$1.25 per thousand cubic feet. SEYMOUR Gas Co.

ALUMNI RECEPTION.

Class of '99 Welcomed by Former Graduates.

Yesterday evening the annual reception to the graduating class was given in the Presbyterian church parlor. The high school alumni and a few friends had a very enjoyable evening welcoming the class of '99 to membership in the association.

After an hour of social the class entered in a body and rendered their class song. Several members of the class took part in the program before Prof. Montgomery announced thirty minutes for refreshments. Albert Charles, president of the alumni, then took the chair and formally welcomed the class of '99 to the association. Brief remarks were then made by several others present and the remainder of the evening was spent socially. Interest in the alumni association should be greatly increased by these annual gatherings.

Try our crushed fruits with ice cream and soda. NOTTAGE.

RAILROAD RUMBLINGS.

This is pay day on the B. & O. S-W. J. C. Willis, of the C. & O., was in the city today.

O. B. Sappington agent of the J. M. & I. went to Madison today.

Fireman George Hudson went to Franklin today to see his son.

G. W. Tarkington, of the E. & T. H., was in the city today accompanied by his wife.

Ed Jennings came home this morning from New Orleans where he represented the B. R. T.

Thomas Gregory, of Bloomington, is here and will take a position on the Southern Indiana.

H. F. Barnard, E. Humphrey and J. C. Carey, of the B. & O. S-W., were here today from Washington.

Parsnip Complexion.

A majority of the ills afflicting people today can be traced to kidney trouble. It prevades all classes of society, in all climates, regardless of age, sex or condition.

The sallow, colorless looking people you often meet are afflicted with "kidney complexion." Their kidneys are turning to a parsnip color, so is their complexion. They may suffer from indigestion, bloating, sleeplessness, uric acid, gravel, dropsy, rheumatism, catarrh of the bladder, or irregular heart. You may depend upon it, the cause is weak, unhealthy kidneys.

Women as well as men are made miserable with kidney and bladder trouble and both need the same remedy. Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy will build up and strengthen weak and unhealthy kidneys, purify the diseased, kidney-poisoned blood, clear the complexion and soon help the sufferer to better health.

The mild and extraordinary effect of Swamp-Root is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases, such as weak kidneys, catarrh of the bladder, gravel, rheumatism and Bright's Disease, which is the worst form of kidney trouble. At druggists, fifty cent and dollar sizes. You may have a sample bottle by mail free, also pamphlet telling all about it. Address Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y. When writing please mention this paper.

Notice to Public.

The Seymour postoffice will be opened for business on and after May 22, 1899, from 7 a. m. to 7.30 p. m. Money order department open from 7 a. m. to 6 p. m. The outside doors are opened at 6 a. m. Parties having lock boxes can have access to same after that hour. P. H. WILHELM, P. M. May 18, 1899.

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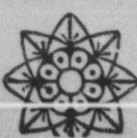
It has long been our custom and will continue our custom as long as we remain in business to handle only drugs and chemicals which we absolutely know to be of superior strength and purity.

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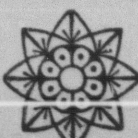
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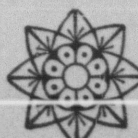


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Paine's Celery Compound the Only Spring Remedy Endorsed.



"I heartily recommend it and am glad to give it my highest endorsement."

So writes Miss M. A. Armstrong the government microscopist, after making a painstaking examination of Paine's celery compound, the one remedy that has withstood every conceivable test since it was first discovered by Darmouth's great physician-professor and its formula submitted to the ablest practitioners in the world.

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purifies the blood, regulates the stomach, liver, bowels and kidneys, and rejuvenates the fagged-out or diseased or nervous system, when everything else fails.

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CITY COUNCIL.

A Three Hour and Fifty Minute Session.—Electric Light Proposition Considered.—Other Business Transacted.

City Council met in adjourned session last night with Mayor Mills and all councilmen present.

Roll called by the acting clerk, C. H. Alwes and minutes of regular and special meetings read and approved.

Huler of fire committee handed up a report of fire chief that there were three vacancies in the fire department and recommended that Richard Spencer, Henry Brinker and Alva Largent be appointed to fill vacancies. Recommendations approved.

Bartlett, of improvement committee, reported that the committee had contracted with T. M. Jackson to keep the town clock in repair one year for \$4.00.

Engineer Slagel reported estimates as follows: Probable cost of grading and graveling alley through block 14, \$33; grading and graveling alley running north and south through block W, between St. Louis Avenue and Second street, \$22.80; grading alley running between High and Myer streets \$20. Estimates placed on file.

DeGolyer moved that a committee of three be appointed to make inquiry of owners of abutting property on Second street, between Chestnut and Walnut streets and learn their will relative to the paving of that portion of Chestnut street. Motion carried and Price, Shepard and Miller appointed committee.

Street Commissioner reported that he had just about completed the work of notifying property owners to number their houses.

Special committee appointed to arrange for putting up names of streets in accordance with ordinance through Chairman Price reported progress, and inquired the right of the city to put these names on private houses.

CLAIMS ALLOWED.

Frank B. Kea, electric light plants and specifications.....	\$400.00
E. G. Weathers, concrete.....	12.60
Walter Zimmerman, concrete.....	10.62
Seymour Democrat, claim book.....	14.70
Sey. Gas Light Co., gas.....	2.10
John J. Hoover, concrete.....	2.70
John L. Kessler, supplies.....	9.05
John Biss, hauling hose cart.....	1.00
John Bliss, livery hire.....	1.50
St. Commissioners' pay roll.....	93.00

Clerk directed to notify board of health to investigate and ascertain vaults needing cleaning and have same attended to at once.

Brethauer offered a resolution which was adopted for grading and graveling Pine street, including sidewalks, from the south property line of Oak street to north line of McDonald.

Gibson introduced an ordinance granting the Southern Indiana Railway the privilege to lay one or more tracks across North Chestnut street just south of their present main track. The council was given assurance that it was not the purpose of the company to place, but one track across the street and that one for the purpose of getting on to the branch line coming down Indianapolis Avenue.

Huber introduced an ordinance granting a contract to the Seymour Gas Light and Coke Company to light the city by electricity for a period of ten years, reserving the right to purchase the plant after a period of five years.

The ordinance provides for eighty arc lights at \$55 each per year, which is a much lower rate than most cities in the state are paying. Under this ordinance commercial arc lights would cost \$5 for a single light, \$9 for two and \$12 for three. Incandescent lights from 60 cents for a single light down to 25 cents each where a stipulated number of lights are taken.

The vote on a motion to advance to second reading stood 6 to 4 in favor of advancement, the mayor deciding that it required a two-thirds vote to suspend the rules, therefore the ordinance goes over to next meeting.

The estimated cost of new machinery and improvements needed to carry out contract is placed at \$10,700.

Price introduced a resolution to grade and gravel Walnut street between Sixth and Seventh streets. Adopted.

Blair moved that special light committee be instructed to receive bids for the construction of an electric light plant according to plans and specifications

now on file in the clerk's office. Bids to be received at next meeting and the same to be made on a rental basis. Also to receive bids for a franchise for ten years to light city with privilege to purchase plant after five years. Adopted.

Price moved that the best bid received on each proposition be submitted to a vote of the people. Adopted.

Brethauer moved that the grade committee be instructed to purchase two car loads of stone for foot crossings. Adopted with the understanding that the committee is to negotiate with W. F. Pfaffenberger for stone now on Chestnut street sidewalk.

Gibson moved that teamsters' wages when working for the city be \$2.00 for eight hours work and that the same number of hours be a day's work for men employed by the city, the statute fixing their wages at 15 cents an hour. Adopted.

On motion of Bartlett the street commissioner was directed to keep a detailed account of the work he does in the several wards.

The Grand Army was given privilege to use the city park on decoration day.

Bartlett appointed a committee to see after mowing the park and disposing of the grass.

Street commissioner directed to fill low places in north Ewing street, to clean out gutter in another part of town, to change tile at crossing of Chestnut and Fifth streets and raise tie near Mayor Mills' yard, and to attend to other matters belonging to his department.

Ben Schneck, guardian of minor heirs of the late C. W. Schneck, asks a refunding of taxes paid city as such guardian, since the heirs own no property in Seymour. Referred to finance committee.

The finance committee directed to investigate proposition of a Cincinnati man for a second hand safe large enough to hold the city records and containing a burglar proof vault.

Council adjourned at 11:20.

CHURCH NOTES.

The Seymour District Ministerial Institute of the M. E. church will be held next week at Trafalgar. Opening sermon on Monday night. Exercises will continue over Tuesday and Wednesday. Rev. J. M. Baxter, of this city will read a paper on "Sermon Preparation."

The motor car "Eureka" that has attracted so much attention at Columbus, is being taken to Philadelphia to be shown to capitalists who are interested in it.

The prohibitionists of Indiana yesterday had a conference with reference to plans for carrying forward the work of the party in the different counties. In addition to the members of the state committee there were present a district evangelist from each of the congressional districts. The party has recently planned to carry on its agitation through these evangelists. The special object of the meeting is to adopt a uniform financial system for the districts.

The Huntington News has an extensive write up of the state meeting of Macabees in that city in which it speaks of W. E. Brown, formerly of this city as follows: "W. E. Brown of Indianapolis, who represents the Seymour camp, stated that this would be the largest meeting of the Great Camp of Indiana ever held. There are 175 delegates to the K. O. T. M. and 100 delegates to the L. O. T. M. Mr. Brown has attended all the meetings of the Great Camp and has represented the state in the supreme camp of the United States twice, so he is well able to judge." Mr. Brown has been reelected state representative to the Supreme Camp at Port Huron, Mich.

McClure's Magazine for June will contain a short story by Mr. Kipling that derives a special interest from the fact that it seems to be reminiscent of Mr. Kipling's own youthful beginnings as a writer and editor. It will be very fully illustrated by the English artist J. Raven-Hill.

Mrs. Esther Cunningham of Hayden who has been the guest of Seymour friends, went to Columbus last evening to visit her father, David McClintock.

Dr. J. B. Lamb and family, after visiting Indianapolis relatives and attending the Odd Fellows Grand Lodge, returned last evening to Delaware.

A Mother's Responsibility

A great responsibility rests upon mothers at the time their daughters are budding into womanhood. If your daughter is pale, complains of weakness, is "tired out" upon slight exertion; if she is troubled with headache or backache, pain in the side; if her temper is fitful and her appetite poor, she is in a condition of extreme peril, a fit subject for that most dreaded of all diseases—consumption. If you notice any of these symptoms lose no time in procuring

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People

They will assist your daughter to develop properly and regularly; they will enrich the blood, strengthen the nerves, and all danger of consumption and premature death will be averted.

Mrs. John Tansey, of 130 Baker Street, Detroit, Michigan, to a reporter said:

"Several years ago we had a serious time with my daughter, which began when she was about sixteen years old. She did not have any serious illness but seemed to gradually waste away. Having never had any consumption in our family, we did not think it was that. Our doctor called the disease by an old name which, as I afterward learned, meant lack of blood."

"It is impossible to describe our feelings as we watched our daughter slowly passing away from us. However, we finally found a medicine that seemed to help her, and from the first we noticed a decided change for the better, and after three months' treatment her health was so greatly improved you would not have recognized her. She gained in flesh rapidly and soon was in perfect health. The medicine used was Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. I have always kept these pills in the house since and have recommended them to many people. I have told many mothers about them and they have effected some wonderful cures."

"Every mother in this land should keep these pills in the house, as they are good for many ailments, particularly those arising from impoverished or diseased blood, and weakened nerve force."—From the Evening News, Detroit, Mich.

All the elements necessary to give new life and richness to the blood and restore shattered nerves are contained, in a condensed form, in Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. They are a specific for troubles peculiar to females, such as suppressions, irregularities and all forms of weakness. They build up the blood, and restore the glow of health to pale and sallow cheeks. In men they effect a radical cure in all cases arising from mental worry, overwork or excesses of whatever nature.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People are sold in boxes (never in loose bulk) at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50, and may be had of all druggists, or direct by mail from Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y.

MAZET COMMITTEE.

Corruption in the Disposition of Dead Bodies From a Hospital.

New York, May 20.—The feature of yesterday's session of the Mazet investigating committee was the unearthing of an alleged system of corruption in the disposition of dead bodies from a city hospital, a ghastly tale that was corroborated and replete with details. By several witnesses it was stated that an undertaker named Marren illegally secured the funerals of all the bodies taken to Harlem hospital, and that he was enabled to do this by bribing clerks in the employ of the city to break the rules. It was also shown that apparently an acquaintance existed between Marren and Messrs. Croker and Carroll.

A large number of witnesses were called and a multiplicity of subjects were touched upon during the examination.

The old question of sewerage and the connection between the Contractors' Supply company and the city departments was gone into, but the only important point elicited was that Richard Croker had objected to his son's going into this concern when he learned that it intended to supply city departments.

PRESBYTERIANS

Discussion of Sunday Observance Before the General Assembly.

Minneapolis, May 20.—Sunday observance was the question which took the major part of the Presbyterian assembly's time yesterday. Most of the afternoon session was devoted to an earnest discussion of the report of the special committee on Sabbath observance. In the end the committee's eight resolutions were adopted with slight amendments and two more were added. In the discussion the Sunday streetcar, the Sunday train and railroad excursion, the Sunday newspaper, the Sunday-working Presbyterian and every form of activity which is not in harmony with the literal meaning of the fourth commandment was condemned.

Conservation Service.

Portland, Ind., May 20.—The Evangelical Lutheran church of this city will be consecrated tomorrow, and the local pastor, Rev. C. V. L. Dozer, will be assisted in the services by Rev. G. H. Gerberling of the Lutheran Theological University of Chicago.

Judge R. B. Lamon Dead.

Washington, May 20.—Judge Robert Bruce Lamon died yesterday, aged 78 years. His early life he lived in Illinois until 1849, when he went to California, where he was a member for two years of the state legislature. He served with distinction in the war against the Modoc Indians which infested California. Later he returned to his home in Illinois, and since 1895 he has been connected with the interior department. Interment will be made at Paris, Ills.

Grandma Daily of Marling, is very low of infirmity and age.

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G. A. R. Excursions to Terre Haute via Pennsylvania Lines.

May 22d, 23d and 24th \$2.45 non-transferable excursion tickets will be sold from Seymour to Terre Haute for Indiana G. A. R. State Encampment, via Pennsylvania Lines.

Tuesday, May 23d, special headquarters' train will leave Seymour 9:42 a. m. central time. Excursionists who go on this train will have the opportunity of stopping at the Fair Grounds, Terre Haute and witness the sham battle by National Guard Veterans of the Spanish-American war.

All return coupons valid until May 27th, ample time to see the attractive features of the encampment.

Eagle, The King of All Birds. Is noted for its keen sight, clear and distinct vision. So are those persons who use Sutherland's Eagle Eye Salve for weak eyes, styes, sore eyes of any kind or granulated lids. Sold by all dealers 5 cents.

Many old soldiers now feel the effects of the hard service they endured during the war. Mr. Geo. S. Anderson, of Rossville, York county, Penn., who saw the hardest kind of service at the front, is now frequently troubled with rheumatism. "I had a severe attack lately," he says, "and procured a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm. It did so much good that I would like to know what you would charge me for one dozen bottles." Mr. Anderson wanted it both for his own use and to supply it to his friends and neighbors, as every family should have a bottle of it in their home, not only for rheumatism, but lame back, sprains, swellings, cuts, bruises, and burns, for which, for which it is unequalled. For sale by C. W. Milhouse.

Excursion to Grand Rapids via Pennsylvania Lines.

May 24th and 25th excursion tickets will be sold to Grand Rapids, Mich., via Pennsylvania Lines, account Young Men's Christian Association of North America, International Convention; return limit May 29th. Local ticket agent will be glad to answer inquiries.

\$2.45 To Terre Haute—Return \$2.45.

The Southern Indiana Railway will sell tickets May 23, 24, and 25, from Seymour \$2.45 round trip. Account G. A. R. meeting, good returning May 27th. Call on J. M. CLARK, Agent, at Seymour, for further information.

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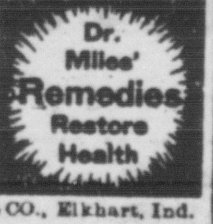


Major General Otis Does Not Favor an Armistice For Insurgents.

COMMISSIONERS IN MANILA

Agents of Aguinaldo Put In an Appearance For the Purpose of Negotiating Terms of Peace—Interesting Letter Regarding the Postal System in Vogue in Island of Cebu.

THAT no one remedy can contain the elements necessary to cure all diseases, is a fact well known to everyone. Dr. Miles' System of Restorative Remedies consists of seven distinctively different preparations, each for its own purpose. Mrs. L. C. Bramley, 37 Henry St., St. Catharines, Ontario, writes: "For years I suffered from extreme nervousness and annoying constipation, developing into palpitation and weakness of the heart. I was unable to sleep, suffered much from headache, pain in my left side, palpitation and a constant feeling of weakness and prostration. I began using Dr. Miles' Nervine, Heart Cure and Nerve and Liver Pills and the Anti-Pain Pills to relieve sudden paroxysms of pain and headache. I soon felt much improved and the pains and aches and weariness left me. I then took Dr. Miles' Restorative Tonic and am now restored to my former good health."



Manila, May 20.—Two military and two civil Philippine commissioners, appointed to co-operate with three citizens of Manila in negotiating terms of peace, arrived here at 8:15 a. m. today. They have submitted no new propositions, but want an armistice pending the session of the Philippine congress.

Major General Otis has refused to entertain the proposal.

FILIPINO MAIL

Interesting Letter on the Postal System in Island of Cebu.

Washington, May 20.—The operations of the former Spanish postal system on the island of Cebu, in the Philippines, are interestingly described in a letter dated April 8, just received by Postmaster General Emory Smith, from Director of Posts Valle at Manila, who writes: "When our forces took possession of the town of Cebu it was done contrary to the wishes of Filipino officials in charge, but without armed opposition. Filipino officials continue to administer all departments except that of the captain of the post and the Cebu post office. This will probably be changed to a considerable extent at once, as officers detailed to administer affairs there went to Cebu on the same steamer with me, but had not taken hold when I left. The Filipinos had in effect a service modeled exactly after the plan of the Spanish service on the island. Each village or city had a chief called presidente local, instead of, as formerly under the Spaniards, the captain municipal, or gobernadorcillo.

"It was made a part of the official duties of the presidente local to handle all mail, registered or ordinary, to provide carriers for taking the mails to the next village on the route, to keep a record of such service and to keep on hand a supply of stamps, for which he paid cash, buying them of the secretary of the haciendas at a slight discount.

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BRADSTREET'S

Condition of the Trade Situation For the Week Just Ended.

New York, May 20.—Bradstreet's today says: The feature of the trade situation this week is the renewed strength of wheat and other cereals, iron and steel, and last, but not least, raw wool, which has heretofore lagged behind other staples in a most discouraging way.

The price making features in cereals are not entirely of encouraging character, being chiefly the less favorable reports as to the growing crop west and northwest, and advices of insect damage influencing western markets toward a higher plane in face of a discouragingly small export business, caused in some degree by the continuance of the strike of grain handlers at Buffalo, checking the movement of large quantities of grain to the seaboard.

The added strength in iron is based largely upon heavy buying of pigiron in the central west, sympathetically influencing prices at all markets.

Foreign wool markets continue above American, heavy sales of Australian wools for re-export are reported, and available supplies of this class of wool are nearly exhausted at Boston. Aside from the exceptions noted, the tendency is toward steadiness in prices and most provisions, coffee and sugar among groceries, lead and copper among metals and cotton and its various manufactures among textiles are all reported unchanged on the week.

Speculation in cotton lags, notwithstanding good trade advices at home and abroad, and rather less favorable crop reports. Lumber, as for a long time past, continues in excellent demand.

Building activity is widespread, prices hold all their old advances and the tendency is apparently still upward. Refined sugar is in rather better demand, but raws are rather quiet at last week's declines. Hides and leather are strong at old quotations, a new feature reported this week being a good demand for some grades of upper leather on export account. Less favorable weather has tended to check distributive demand at retail, but in wholesale lines trade is regarded as very fair and even satisfactory for the advanced stage of the season.

PEACE CONFERENCE

Agreement to Appoint Committees to Deal With Questions.

The Hague, May 20.—The chiefs of the different delegations to the peace conference met yesterday under the presidency of M. de Staal, the Russian ambassador to Great Britain, for the purpose of discussing the business to be transacted today.

The meeting, at which Andrew D. White, head of the United States delegation, and Sir Julian Pauncefote, head



BARON DE STAAL.

of the British delegation, were present, resulted in an agreement to appoint three committees to deal with the respective groups of questions proposed for discussion, namely, disarmament, laws of warfare and mediation and arbitration.

With a view of facilitating the appointment of the committees, it was agreed that each chief delegate should nominate those of his own delegation whom it might be desired to appoint to the respective committees, so that each nation should be represented upon all.

At today's session M. de Staal will read the replies of Emperor Nicholas and Queen Wilhelmina to the dispatches sent to their majesties at the opening of the conference, after which he will deliver an important speech upon the work of the conference and will propose the adoption of a general scheme arranged yesterday. Today's sessions and all subsequent sessions will be secret. Perfect harmony has prevailed thus far.

Shows No Trace of Sorrow.

Cincinnati, May 20.—The boy murderer, James Weaver, 11 years old, who poisoned his mother, father and brother, and who seems, from his own confession, to be of the Jesse Pomeroy class, was in police court yesterday, showing no trace of sorrow for his crime, nor even of concern as to his punishment.

BRIEF MENTION

Company A, Sixth Infantry, arrived in San Francisco from Texas.

Ex-United States Senator Charles R. Buckalew died at his home in Bloomington, Pa., aged 78.

Private McMurray, colored, stationed in San Francisco, developed symptoms of smallpox and is quarantined.

Robert Gillham, general manager of the Kansas City, Pittsburg and Gulf railroad, died at Kansas City after a brief attack of typhoid malaria.

Carnegie & Co. closed a deal for 50,000 tons of pigiron from the Associated blast furnaces of the Mahoning and Shenango valleys, paying \$16 per ton.

Lieutenant Colonel Edward J. McClelland (assistant adjutant general) has been ordered to Matanzas, Cuba, as adjutant general of that department.

Seven cotton yarnmills in Bristol county, Mass., were purchased by English capitalists. Consideration, \$3,490,000. Present officers are to operate the mills.

Major John A. Logan of Youngstown, O., will leave shortly for Cuba to represent a party of capitalists in developing sugar and mineral resources of the island.

CHURCH WORKERS

Interesting Session of the Missionary Branch of Friends' Church.

Marion, Ind., May 20.—The triennial convention of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Friends' church is in session here, with Mrs. Hannah L. Smith of Selma, O., presiding. Delegates are present from a number of states. After the president's address a resolution was adopted approving the peace conference now in session at The Hague, and this resolution was carried to the commissioners representing America. All the foreign missionary workers were invited forward, and Mr. Penford and Minnie Boles of Japan, Mr. and Mrs. George Weeks of Mexico, Martha Barber of India and Anna Stanley of China, were introduced. Much routine business was transacted, and later Gilbert A. Bowles of Penn college, Oskaloosa, Ia., delivered an address.

The report of the general secretary was submitted and accepted. A discussion on the relation of the woman's foreign mission work to the church followed, and then the matter of men and women working together in the mission field was considered. A short talk by Rev. Gurney Benford of Denver, a missionary to Japan, was an enjoyable feature of the session.

DEMOCRATIC EDITORS.

Meeting Ends With a Steamboat Ride to Louisville.

Madison, Ind., May 20.—The meeting of the Indiana Democratic Editorial association closed with a trip to Louisville on the steamer Cincinnati. The boat was crowded with editors and friends, and a banquet was held and a number of speeches made during the trip. An enjoyable time was had by the excursionists.

Muncie Church Given Aid.

Philadelphia, May 20.—Sixty applications for assistance from churches too weak to support themselves were granted at yesterday's session of the general committee of Home Missions of the United Presbyterian church. An appropriation of \$740 was made to the church at Muncie, Ind., and Rev. S. G. Smith was appointed missionary for the church.

Erecting a Masonic Temple.

North Vernon, Ind., May 20.—The Masons of this city have begun the erection of a new Masonic Temple. The building will be three stories high and cost about \$10,000. Hon. Mason J. Niblack has been invited to deliver the address and preside during the ceremony of laying the cornerstone.

Negro Miners Must Go.

Pana, Ill., May 20.—As a result of the meeting of coal miners, the state board of arbitration and the United Mine Workers' officials an agreement was reached yesterday afternoon which will settle the long drawn out struggle between the union miners and operators. The agreement gives the union recognition and provides that all negro miners shall leave the city and only union men be employed.

Gunboat Nashville.

Cairo, Ill., May 20.—The United States gunboat Nashville arrived here yesterday from St. Louis, and was greeted by a large crowd of citizens. The Nashville was visited by many during the afternoon, who were shown every attention by Captain Maynard and the crew. The boat left today for points on the lower Mississippi, stopping at Columbus, Hickman, New Madrid and other points.

Only Two Survivors.

Victoria, B. C., May 20.—Late arrivals from Suva say two Polynesians have reached Taruina, one of the islands of the Fiji group, who claim to be the only survivors of 38 natives who were stolen from the Andaman islands by a slaving schooner. They say many died of hunger and there were finally but eight left. One night they fought and two were killed. Four others died of measles.

Treasury Statement.

Washington, May 20.—The statement of the condition of the treasury shows: Available cash balance, \$264,094,588; gold reserve, \$236,094,587.

BASEBALL NEWS

Standing of the Clubs.

WESTERN LEAGUE.			
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Ind.apolis.	11	8	.576
St. Paul.	11	8	.576
Milwaukee.	12	9	.571
Minneapolis.	11	9	.556

NATIONAL LEAGUE.			
CLUBS.	W.	L.	Pct.
St. Louis.	21	7	.750

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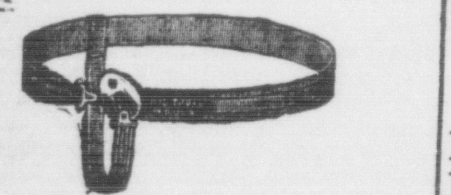
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In our Ready Made Department we have an endless variety of Shirt waists from 39c up.

Duck and Linen Skirts from 49c up.

Large assortment of Ladies' wrap-pers from 49c up.

Ladies' Petticoats in the latest colors and stripes from 98c up.

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In our Wash Goods Department we can please you as we have a large selection of Organza Dimities, Muslin de soi, Paris Muslin, India Linen, Challies, Lawns, Silk Gingham and French Gingham. Several exclusive designs as well as materials at astonishing low prices.

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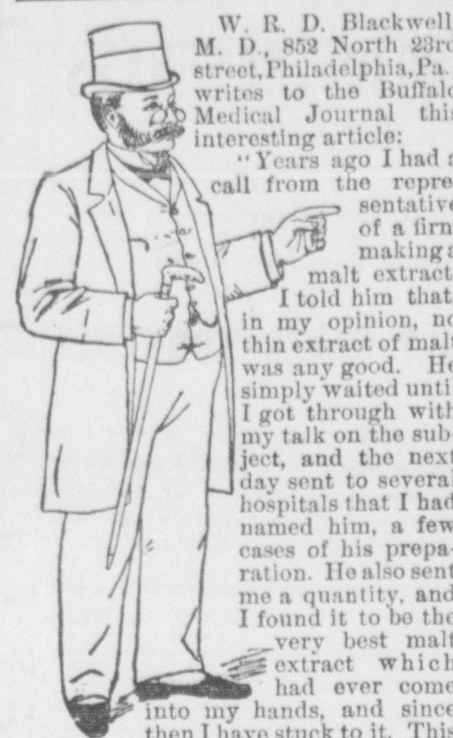
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W. R. D. Blackwell, M. D., 853 North 23rd street, Philadelphia, Pa., writes to the Buffalo Medical Journal this interesting article: "Years ago I had a call from the representative of a firm making a malt extract. I told him that, in my opinion, no thin extract of malt was any good. He simply waited until I got through with my talk on the subject, and the next day sent to several hospitals that I had named him, a few cases of his preparation. He also sent me a quantity, and I found it to be the very best malt extract which had ever come into my hands, and since then I have stuck to it. This 'best malt' is known to the trade as The 'Best' Tonic—Pabst Malt Extract. It is a long time since I first came into the knowledge of this excellent brand of malt, and it will be an equally long time (if I live) before I will give it up for any other. I believe in The 'Best' Tonic as being the best; no punning being intended. It is not acid or sour, as too many of the brands are. It 'sets' well on the stomach in weak ladies who reject the ordinary malts. It keeps well also, which is an item of moment. It is economical in cost, and is pleasant in taste. Such characteristics ought to make doctors try it, if you don't already know its merits, and such of my readers as have not yet invested in it would do well to find out for themselves what it really is, and I am sure that they will not be disappointed when they do."

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How many "pretty-featured" girls and women lose all their charm and attractiveness by being pallid, sallow and gray, as if all the blood in their veins were turned to skimmed milk! Even when riding a bicycle, playing tennis or golf, or taking other pleasant exercise, their eyes are still dull and lifeless, no flush beautifies their cheeks, and the air of languor and lassitude makes them "sloshed over with the pale cast of thought," or else, like Cassius, have a "lean and hungry look." These disagreeable features are the outcome of anemia, a wasting out of the corpuscles of the blood, thinning down of the vital fluids, until a person is weak, emaciated and unhealthy looking. The antidote to this unpleasant condition, however, is at hand. Pabst Malt Extract, The "Best" Tonic, is an immediate and visible help in making a soft, glowing color, a splendid appetite, a power to digest and assimilate the food, and turn it into fine, pure, healthful blood. Don't look so faded out and limp when you can easily look sweetly strong. A few bottles will show you what it can do.

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HON. CHAS. B. LANDIS says that he will not be a candidate for governor but for re-election to congress.

There are yet some bitter partisans who would rejoice in a battle that would bring defeat to our soldiers in the Philippines. Victory is discouraging to them.

SOMETIME ago the REPUBLICAN mentioned Hon. Jesse Overstreet as a good man to succeed Hon. Thos. B. Reed as Speaker of the lower house of Congress. Some other papers are suggesting the same thing now and in fact Mr. Overstreet's friends outside of Indiana are suggesting that he enter the contest.

AMONG the newspaper men who attended the democratic editorial meeting at Madison was John Overmyer, who has been wanting to go to congress for a long time, formerly as a republican now as a democrat. He is launching his boom a little early but then he knows he must move early to head off Marion Griffith.

BORN

To C. F. Caldwell and I wife, Saturday, May 20, a son.

A daughter was born to C. E. Newton and wife, Friday, May 19.

A son was born to D. M. Faber and wife, Friday, May 19.

P. E. Wills, of Elizabethtown, who has been here on business with Hon. Louis Schneck returned home today.

The Cure that Cures Coughs, Colds, Grippe, Whooping Cough, Asthma, Bronchitis and Incipient Consumption, is

OTTO'S CURE The GERMAN REMEDY Cures throat and lung diseases. Sold by all druggists. 25c/50c

SATURDAY SNAP SHOTS.

A mild answer turneth away wrath but it only encourages the book agent to greater persistency.

What a great world this would be if the people in it were more like bumblebees. The bee goes buzzing about among the flowers, delving down only into those nectaries which are filled with sweetness; the nectaries which are empty and devoid of everything that could contribute to the peace and happiness of the humble bumble bee, are scarcely given a passing notice.

But poor man. Prone to plunge into thickets of bristling cactus as readily as into fields of violets, his haphazard race through the world ends in more grief than joy, and he declares that life is all a failure. To learn to discriminate between wisdom and folly, good and evil, the blessings of the Creator and the vile workings of man, one has but to go into the field, the wood and the lane and read the open book of nature. Yes; even the humble-bee studied at a safe distance, can teach us a lesson of life.

That even a "tramp" is sometimes forced to put the inventive genius to work in order to gain a point, was recently illustrated in rather a striking manner. While a resident on east Second street was going through his morning paper, a tramp of the genus "hob,"—a veritable weary Willie—tapped at the door and asked to see the head of the family. The L. of the t. being kindly heard, asked him what he wanted. "Here is a very valuable relic" the tramp replied, drawing from beneath the folds of his dirty coat a rusty hatchet much hacked and worn. "This" continued the tramp, "is one of the hatchets George Washington used in cutting down the famous cherry tree; see, here's his initials." Sure enough; on the handle was the plainly carved letters, G. W., which was sufficient evidence to convince any curious collector of its genuineness. As the tramp asked but ten cents for his prize, the east Second street man purchased it at once; and he is now the proud possessor of a real relic.

Mr. Travis Carter tells a story, which so far as he knows, was the beginning of "lynch law" in Indiana. About sixty-seven years ago there lived in Scott county a family of "lynches," whom Mrs. Travis Carter knew in Kentucky. In the family there were twenty-four children, twenty-three buxom country girls and one lone boy. One day a rather "fresh" young man by the name of Applegate was passing through and stopped at the Lynch home. While there he became enamored by one of the twenty-three girls, and decided to make an engagement to return Saturday evening. Now the girls didn't like his style and decided to make an application of "lynch law" on his return. Saturday night came and so did Applegate. He was ushered into the spacious sitting room and given an old-fashioned chair. Then his favorite among the twenty-three sisters pleasantly told him that she would "teach him how to spark." But soon he was pinioned to the back of his chair and the "old lady" called to bring in the tar and feathers, which were used on Applegate unsparingly, thus giving him a dose of "lynch law" a sort of "common law" to the Lynch family.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that can not be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by their firm.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75c per bottle. Sold by all druggists. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

Elder H. C. Jackson, of Charlestown, will preach Sunday at Reddington.

Grip makes one sick, weary and restless Dr. Miles' Restorative Nerve brings rest.

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OUR CHURCHES.

FIRST M. E. CHURCH.

Sunday class meeting, 9:30 a. m. Sunday preaching 10:30 a. m. Sunday school 2 p. m.; preaching 7:15 p. m. Tuesday holiness meeting, 7:00 p. m. Monday Junior Epworth League, 6:45 p. m. Wednesday prayer meeting 7:30 p. m. Thursday Epworth League 7:30 p. m. Rev. J. M. Baxter pastor. Corner Third and Ewing street.

The tenth anniversary of the Epworth League will be observed tomorrow night. Exercises will be held in the auditorium commencing at 7:30. Every member of the League urgently invited to come and the church also invited to attend. Let us come together and hear what this youngest child of the church has and is doing.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Southwest corner of Walnut and Tipton streets. Preaching every Sabbath. Sabbath school, 2:00 p. m. Morning service at 10:30 a. m. Evening service, 7:30 p. m. B. Y. P. U. meeting Sunday evening at 6:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. All are made cordially welcome. J. W. Clevenger pastor.

Morning subject: "Chadish's Lesson."

Evening subject: "The Bible in Spiritual Life."

PREBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Corner Walnut and Branch streets. Rev. J. T. Charlton, pastor. Service every Sabbath at 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sabbath school at 9:15 a. m. all the year. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:15 p. m. every Sabbath. Junior Endeavor Society at 2:00 p. m. Sabbath afternoon. Weekly prayer meeting at 7:30 p. m. every Wednesday. Everyone made welcome.

Rev. F. M. Tyrrell of Crothersville, will preach morning and evening.

CENTRAL CHURCH OF CHRIST.

Services at Husted's Hall at 10:30 a. m. and 7:00 p. m. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. Endeavor meeting at 6:00 p. m. Elder Vesch, pastor. All are cordially invited to attend these services. H. L. Veach, pastor.

GERMAN M. E. CHURCH.

Corner of Poplar and Bruce Sts., Rev. John Huber, pastor. Preaching every Sabbath. Morning service, 10:30 a. m. Evening service, 7:30 p. m. Sunday school, 9 a. m. Sunday evening at 7:00 Young people's meeting. Wednesday at 7:30 p. m., prayer meeting.

SEVENTH DAY ADVENTISTS.

Sabbath school at 2:30 p. m. at corner of Ewing and Fifth streets. All are invited.

EVANGELICAL PROTESTANT ST. PAUL'S CHURCH

N. E. Corner of Walnut and Tipton. Morning service 10:00 a. m. Sunday school 2 p. m. F. Daries, pastor.

German Lutheran Emanuel Church. Corner of Poplar and Hickman Sts. Rev. Philip Schmidt, pastor. Preaching every Sabbath. Morning service, 9:30 a. m. Evening service, 7:00 p. m. Children's Catechism after morning service.

ST. AMBROSE CATHOLIC CHURCH. South Chestnut St., near Brown St. Father Conrad, pastor. Services every Sabbath. Low mass 8 a. m. High mass 10 a. m. Catechism 2:30 p. m. Vespers and benediction 5 p. m.

SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH.

Corner Lynn and Brown streets. Preaching twice a month, first and third Lord's day. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Officers meeting Thursday preceding first Lord's day. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening in each week. Rev. A. J. Thompson, pastor, 338 N. Missouri st. Indianapolis, Ind.

A. M. E. CHURCH.

Preaching at 10:30 a. m. Class at 11:30 a. m. Sunday school at 2:30 p. m. Preaching at 7:00 p. m. C. E. Allen pastor.

Loyal Temperance Legion.

Loyal temperance Legion will meet at 400 Sabbath May 21, in the Presbyterian church. Members requested to be present. Visitors invited.

Another Case of Rheumatism Cured by Chamberlain's Pain Balm.

My son was afflicted with rheumatism which contracted his right limb until he was unable to walk. After using one and a half bottles of Chamberlain's Pain Balm he was able to be about again. I can heartily recommend it to persons suffering from rheumatism—John Snider, Freed, Calhoun Co., W. Va. For sale by C. W. Milhous.

No Gripping or Pains.

Arrowsmith, Ill., Jan. 21, 1897. Dear Sirs:—I have been bothered for 15 years with constipation and I have tried many preparations during that time. I commenced using Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin in the fall of 1895 and unhesitatingly say it is the best remedy I have ever found for my trouble. No gripping or pains after taking. Yours, etc., WM. HUNT.

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All goods guaranteed to be as represented by the auctioneer. Handsome silver souvenir given to every lady attending our afternoon sale on Tuesday next.

Seats Provided for the Ladies.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.

Chicago, Ill., May 20.—Indiana: Showers tonight and Sunday.

Cox

A Few Copies Left.

We have sold an unusually large number of yesterday's *REPUBLICAN* containing an account of commencement. A few more copies can be supplied to those who may want them by calling at the office.

Best meals and lunches at Nottage's. New tomatoes, cucumbers, beets, beans, peas. F. Teckemeyer.

Frank Weikel who had his lower jaw broken is getting along nicely.

A nice lunch will be served at the Horse Shoe Saloon at 8.30 this evening.

Ice cream delivered to any part of the city. NOTTAGE, Phone 103.

Geo. G. Patten, dentist, of Pans, Ill., is looking for an office room with a view to locating here.

Those who are buying at Harding's auction are getting good bargains. Go around this evening at 7.30.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. F. Remy will arrive this evening and will be the guests of E. A. Remy and family over Sunday.

T. A. Reed, breeder of B. P. Rock only. Eggs \$1.00 per 15 at the house or \$1.25 by express. Cash in advance East Fourth street, Seymour, Ind. waw3m

More people are being interested in Harding's auction sale every day, and are saving money by attending and bidding.

No one can afford to miss Harding's auction sale of jewelry, knives, forks, spoons, clocks, etc. He has what you need and you can buy it at a bargain.

An article by Miss Tarbell in the June number of McClure's Magazine will give new reminiscences and stories of Lincoln's devotion to the private soldiers during the war.

Salesman wanted to carry reasonable line of (free) samples, with exclusive territory, good for \$25 weekly cash, from old established high rated factory. P. O. 1371, New York.

The case of Lutes vs. Cross, which has occupied the attention of the circuit court since Thursday was not completed at 2 o'clock this afternoon, but both sides hoped to conclude today.

Omer, son of street commissioner Samuel Welch, who came home recently from the volunteer service went to Indianapolis today to enlist in the regular service.

Master Julius Peter has a new bicycle, a present from his father, W. F. Peter. The wheel came as a surprise to Julius after his school work for the year had ended and it was known that he ranked first in his class.

Samuel Little who returned to his home in Jennings county Friday from Sedalia, Mo., carried with him a small piece of wood which was found imbedded in hard rock 160 feet under ground. The wood appeared to be cedar and was well preserved.

The Sun

May shine brightly and the birds may sing their sweetest songs but if your stomach is not right there is no happiness for you. Keep a bottle of Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin in the house and use it according to directions and the sun and birds will not shine and sing in vain. Constipation and indigestion cured. Trial size 10c (10 doses) and in 50c and \$1.00 bottles. Ot A. J. Pellens, druggist.

BUSINESS NOTES.

H. C. Beyers is putting out 15 acres of nutmeg plants.

A. D. Eldridge shipped a car of eggs to New York last night.

James DeGolyer is home from a business trip to Westport.

C. A. Saltmarsh made a business trip today to Brownstown.

J. C. Lubker, of Vallonia, came up last evening on business.

James Cornett and wife, of Houston, came here last evening.

George Lewis, of Marling, came here last evening on business.

John Trentman and wife came here today from Heltonville to shop.

E. E. Eckstein and wife, of Canaan, drove here today to purchase goods.

W. F. Peter came home last evening from a business trip to Waymansville.

John F. Stuckwisch, of Sauer, is delivering wheat to the Blush Milling Co.

D. F. Smith and wife, of Jennings county, drove here today to purchase goods.

Morton Hall, a prosperous farmer of Azalia, drove here last evening on business.

Clayton Downs, of Jennings county, brought a fine lot of strawberries here today.

N. B. Frazer, of Pittsburg, Pa., came here today on business with Dr. W. E. Gerrish.

Henry Zollman and family of Medora, drove up to the city Friday on business.

Meyer Bros. shipped a car of clear hickory lumber from Rockford to Shelbyville today.

James Rinehard received a car of spoke blocks at Crothersville Friday for the Hub & Spoke Factory.

George A. Cooley, of Tampico, brought a ton of eggs, butter and poultry here Friday and sold them readily.

Henry Waldkotter and son Henry, west of Tampico came to the city Friday to purchase farm implements.

The window frames were set today in the third story of the Groub block and the brick work is going up rapidly.

F. H. McBride who has been in the employ of J. F. Shiel left today for Canton, O., to take a position in a harness factory.

Charles F. Eddinger, of the county asylum, went to Cincinnati yesterday evening to attend the national conference of charities and corrections.

When Nature.

Needs assistance it may be best to render it promptly, but one should remember to use even the most perfect remedies only when needed. The best and most simple and gentle remedy is the Syrup of Figs, manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co.

Mrs. Mat Pfeifer, who has been visiting friends at Seymour for several days returned home on the late train last night.—Columbus Times.

Dance of the Sun Rays.

My Dear Mr. Morrison: Your waltz is far above the average in musical merit. It is very good indeed. Good melody and very graceful in its movement. Sincerely Yours,

H. A. CLARK, Mus. Doc.

President of the University and Prof. of Theory and Harmony, Broad St. Conservatory of Music, Philadelphia, Pa.

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ALUMNI RECEPTION.

Class of '99 Welcomed by Former Graduates.

Yesterday evening the annual reception to the graduating class was given in the Presbyterian church parlor. The high school alumni and a few friends had a very enjoyable evening welcoming the class of '99 to membership in the association.

After an hour of social the class entered in a body and rendered their class song. Several members of the class took part in the program before Prof. Montgomery announced thirty minutes for refreshments. Albert Charles, president of the alumni, then took the chair and formally welcomed the class of '99 to the association. Brief remarks were then made by several others present and the remainder of the evening was spent socially. Interest in the alumni association should be greatly increased by these annual gatherings.

Try our crushed fruits with ice cream and soda. NOTTAGE.

RAILROAD RUMBLINGS.

This is pay day on the B. & O. S-W. J. C. Wills, of the C. & O., was in the city today.

O. B. Sappington agent of the J. M. & I. went to Madison today.

Fireman George Hudson went to Franklin today to see his son.

G. W. Tarkington, of the E. & T. H., was in the city today accompanied by his wife.

Ed Jennings came home this morning from New Orleans where he represented the B. R. T.

Thomas Gregory, of Bloomington, is here and will take a position on the Southern Indiana.

H. F. Barnard, E. Humphrey and J. C. Carey, of the B. & O. S-W., were here today from Washington.

Parsnip Complexion.

A majority of the ills afflicting people today can be traced to kidney trouble. It prevades all classes of society, in all climates, regardless of age, sex or condition.

The fallow, colorless-looking people you often meet are afflicted with "kidney complexion." Their kidneys are turning to a parsnip color, so is their complexion. They may suffer from indigestion, bloating, sleeplessness, uric acid, gravel, dropsy, rheumatism, catarrh of the bladder, or irregular heart. You may depend upon it, the cause is weak, unhealthy kidneys.

Women as well as men are made miserable with kidney and bladder trouble and both need the same remedy. Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy will build up and strengthen weak and unhealthy kidneys, purify the diseased, kidney-poisoned blood, clear the complexion and soon help the sufferer to better health.

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Notice to Public.

The Seymour postoffice will be opened for business on and after May 22, 1899 from 7 a. m. to 7.30 p. m. Money order department open from 7 a. m. to 6 p. m. The outside doors are opened at 6 a. m. Parties having lock boxes can have access to same after that hour. P. H. WILHELM, P. M. May 18, 1899.

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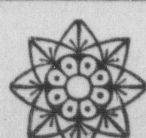
No Doctor can obtain the desired results in the sick room unless his prescriptions are filled as he intended them to be, i. e., with drugs of the highest quality. The sick room is the one place above all others where quality counts above everything else. If you want the patient to improve; to respond to the physician's labors, you must be particular with the medicine. You must have his prescription filled with nothing but pure and fresh drugs and chemicals. We cordially invite your patronage and assure prompt attention and courteous treatment.

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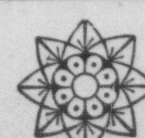
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